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SUBJECT: POSITION OF ITALIAN DRILLING RIG SCARABEO IV
IN RELATION TO TUNISIAN AND LIBYAN CLAIMS

REF: TUNIS 2163

1. DURING MEETING WITH DCM ON MARCH 29, AMERICAN DESK
OFFICER AT TUNISIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY, BEN REDJEB,
STATED THAT DURING RECENT DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN DEPARTMENT
OFFICIALS (PRESUMABLY GEOGRAPHER'S OFFICE) AND TUNISIAN
VISITORS (PRESUMABLY ROUROU AND COMPANY) QUESTION OF
POSITION OF ITALIAN DRILLING RIG SCARABEO IV WAS
DISCUSSED IN RELATION TO ALTERNATIVE BOUNDARIES ON
TUNISIAN, LIBYAN CONTINENTAL SHELF. ACCORDING TO
BEN REDJEB, SCARABEO IV WAS ON TUNISIAN SIDE OF ALL
FIVE POSSIBLE BOUNDARY LINES SHOWN ON DEPARTMENT MAP.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY LIGHT DEPARTMENT CAN THROW
ON THIS STATEMENT BY BEN REDJEB.

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